

Selected Facts for Goliad County - 1999

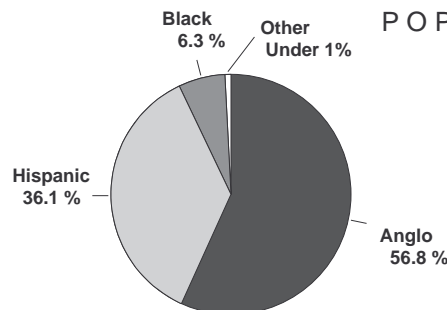
Demography

Estimated Population: 6,662
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 190

Population Per Square Mile: 7.8
Area in Square Miles: 854



POPULATION INFORMATION



Age	Females	Males	Total	Percent
0 - 4	175	204	379	5.7 %
5 - 14	447	449	896	13.4 %
15 - 44	1,411	1,371	2,782	41.8 %
45 - 64	725	710	1,435	21.5 %
65 +	673	497	1,170	17.6 %
Total	3,431	3,231	6,662	100.0 %
County	51.5 %	48.5 %		
State	50.4 %	49.6 %		

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State
Unemployment Rate	4.3 %	4.6 %
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	174	369,938
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	739	1,457,347
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Eligibles	1,120	2,676,056
Per Capita Personal Income, 1998	\$ 15,451	\$ 25,369

	Number	County	State
Persons Living Below Poverty, 1997			
Total	1,326	18.9 %	16.7 %
0 - 17 Years	549	27.8 %	23.6 %
18 Years and over	777	15.4 %	13.8 %
Persons Without Health Insurance			
Total	1,484	22.8 %	24.2 %
0 - 18 Years	434	25.7 %	25.0 %
19 - 64 Years	1,014	28.4 %	27.6 %

Nativity

	Births ¹	County	State
Total Live Births	79		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	8	---- %	6.1 %
Unmarried Mothers	26	32.9 %	31.3 %
Low Birth Weight ¹	11	---- %	7.4 %
Late or No Prenatal Care ¹	12	---- %	20.7 %
Fertility Rate ³	County: 56.0	State: 77.3	

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	County	State
Tuberculosis	0	----	8.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	----	2.3
Gonorrhea	2	----	163.0
Chlamydia	3	----	311.9
AIDS	0	----	14.3
Hepatitis A	0	----	12.6
Varicella (Chickenpox)	1	----	37.3

Mortality² (See note below)

	Deaths ¹	County	State
Deaths From All Causes	57	626.3	897.7
Cardiovascular Disease	28	301.4	360.3
Heart Disease	24	259.7	272.7
Stroke	1	----	66.3
All Cancer	12	----	199.7
Lung Cancer	0	----	56.3
Female Breast Cancer	1	----	25.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	1	----	47.4

	Deaths ¹	County	State
Diabetes	3	----	30.4
Unintentional Injury (Accidents)	1	----	38.2
Motor Vehicle Injury	0	----	15.6
Homicide	0	----	6.4
Suicide	0	----	10.5
Work-related Injury	0	----	2.8
Infant Deaths	0	----	6.2
Fetal Deaths ¹	0	----	6.4

¹ All births and deaths are by county of residence. Low birth weight represents live-born infants weighing less than 2,500 grams at birth. Late prenatal care refers to mothers who did not receive prenatal care during the first trimester of pregnancy. Fetal deaths are those occurring after 20 weeks gestation and prior to birth.

Note ² Mortality data reported for 1999 are not comparable with data reported for prior years. Beginning in 1999, TDH is following the National Center for Health Statistics guidelines for reporting mortality statistics that include coding data using the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision and age adjustments using the 2000 Standard Population.

³ Fertility rates are per 1,000 women ages 15 - 44. Infant death rates and fetal death rates are per 1,000 live births. Work-related injury death rates are per 100,000 population. The remaining death rates have been age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Standard Population per 100,000 population. Communicable disease rates are also per 100,000 population. Rates and percents have not been calculated if 20 or fewer births, deaths or cases occurred, as indicated by "----".

Health Professionals

	County	State
Direct Patient Care Physicians	1	28,595
Ratio of Population per Direct Care Physician.	6,662	701
Ratio of Population per General/Family Practice.	6,662	3,790
Ratio of Population (Females 15-44) per ob/gyn.	0	2,293
Registered Nurses	13	118,929
Ratio of Population per Registered Nurse.	512	169
Dentists	2	8,109
Ratio of Population per Dentist.	3,331	2,472

Health Facilities

	County	State
Acute Care Hospitals.	0	472
Licensed Beds.	0	72,201
Staffed Beds.	0	56,993
Disproportionate share hospital payments.	\$ 0	\$1,038,404,489
Nursing Homes	2	1,157
Licensed Beds.	150	127,432

All of Goliad County was designated as a Health Professional Shortage Area and as a Medically Underserved Area as of January 2001. For updated information, please check with the Health Professions Resource Center at 512-458-7261 or at <http://www.tdh.state.tx.us/dpa/>.

Texas Department of Health Program Summary for Goliad County

Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program¹

Mammograms performed. 5

Children's Health Services

Children's health services available to county residents No

Chronically Ill and Disabled Children's Services¹

Eligible children. 3
Children served. 0
Amount paid. \$ 0

Emergency Medical Services

Emergency vehicles permitted. 3
EMS personnel certified. 13

Family Planning Services (Title V and XX)

Family planning services available to county residents Yes

Food and Drug Safety

Facilities licensed, registered, permitted or accredited. 41

Immunization Division

Vaccine doses administered (less than age 20). 809

Oral Health Services¹

Children receiving dental care. 64

Milk and Dairy Products Division

Establishments regulated. 0

Primary Health Care/COPH Services¹

Reported clients served. 0

Kidney Health Care¹

ESRD patients receiving life-sustaining treatments. 10
Estimated cost of treatments. \$ 9,306

Radiation Control Program

Health-related permit locations. 4
Certified mammography locations. 0

Texas Health Steps (EPSDT)¹

Number of checkups. 234

Tuberculosis Elimination Division¹

Persons treated for TB infection. 6

Women's Health Services

Prenatal and postpartum care services available to county residents Yes

Women, Infants, and Children's Nutrition¹

Clients receiving benefits. 270

Zoonosis Control

Number of animals diagnosed positive for rabies. 0

¹Data are reported by county of residence of the client.

For information on sources of data, refer to the document *Texas Health Facts Data Sources, 1999*.